



## Team Meade Update Newsletter - #5

Team Meade! Your TM Update gives information and insight into Fort Meade and how current leadership is going about addressing the installation's present and future status. We hope you will find these newsletter items helpful and, coupled with our other digital communications platforms, comprehensive. And, be sure to visit Digital Meade for more in-depth information on these and other subjects at <https://homeadmin.army.mil/meade/index.php/about/Garrison/public-affairs/digital-meade>

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## Commander's Call, May 26!

The Garrison Commander will host his first hybrid Commander's Call during the COVID-19 pandemic on WED, May 26, during which teammates can ask/submit questions to him and the garrison leadership team. The hybrid virtual and in person event will start at 10 a.m., and will be available via DVIDS at <https://www.dvidshub.net/webcast/26174>, and on Teams at [https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting\\_OTBIMzdmOTItNTc3Zi00ODVhLThjMjQtNDA3NTFiZGZkYzI3%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2221acfbb3-32be-4715-9025-1e2f015cbb9%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22dd322964-fc62-47de-b5ef-d549e20d2ab0%22%7d](https://teams.microsoft.com/l/meetup-join/19%3ameeting_OTBIMzdmOTItNTc3Zi00ODVhLThjMjQtNDA3NTFiZGZkYzI3%40thread.v2/0?context=%7b%22Tid%22%3a%2221acfbb3-32be-4715-9025-1e2f015cbb9%22%2c%22Oid%22%3a%22dd322964-fc62-47de-b5ef-d549e20d2ab0%22%7d). Garrison directorate leaders have more details.

## Some News Notes of Interest:

- On Monday, May 17, Kimbrough Ambulatory Care Center began offering COVID-19 vaccinations to all DoD eligible beneficiaries 12 years of age and older at McGill Training Center. COVID-19 vaccinations are available on a walk-in basis or by appointment via the <https://informatics-stage.health.mil/COVAX/>. **Please note:** All vaccinations are provided at McGill Training Center – Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays – from 8 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
- There have been a lot of questions regarding the scope of the installation's mask policy. Here's the Garrison's current policy (**Outdoor or Indoor**):
  - 100% Vaccinated (2 Shots +14 days) = NO MASK Requirement; Not 100% Vaccinated = MASK
  - Kids not vaccinated = MASK (Includes kids under 12 who are not able to be vaccinated)
  - Working or attending CDC / CYS = MASK (No Exception)
  - Working or attending medical services (KACC or DENTAC) = MASK (No Exception)This guidance is good for all service areas not mentioned above to include PX and COMMISSARY and other community areas.  
**\*Please note:** Individual commands and non-garrison organizations can implement their own specific mask policies based on their requirements.)
- Fort Meade Fingerprinting Operations are conducted on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10 a.m. – noon, and all appointments should be scheduled in advance on the FGM SharePoint. If an

individual is unable to attend during those hours or in the case of an emergency, please contact Jasmin M. Skelton, [jasmin.m.skelton.civ@mail.mil](mailto:jasmin.m.skelton.civ@mail.mil), or Elijah Noels, [elijah.noels.civ@mail.mil](mailto:elijah.noels.civ@mail.mil) via e-mail. Your Security office teammates will do their best to accommodate.

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## Secure Interconnectivity!

Many employees at Fort Meade are preparing to make the transition to a different technology base that will include hosting Microsoft Teams among other applications. The transition moves connectivity to a more integrated system for communicating across the garrison with increase security, interconnectivity and storage space. Read more in Digital Meade at

<https://homeadmin.army.mil/meade/index.php/about/Garrison/public-affairs/digital-meade/network-officials-preparing-migration-microsoft-teams-cvr-il5>

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## New Motorcycle Training Range for Fort Meade

Motorcycle training at Fort Meade is revving up! With the completion of a new training range, mandatory Basic Rider Course (BRC), Experienced Rider Course (ERC) and Military Sports Bike Rider Course (MSRC) training will be provided at no-cost to all tenant military personnel stationed here at Fort Meade, and for all active duty army personnel Army wide. An approved MSF course is mandatory in accordance with Army Regulation 385-10, and Department of Defense Instruction 6055.4, DoD Traffic Safety Program, for all military personnel who ride.

Read more in Digital Meade at <https://homeadmin.army.mil/meade/index.php/about/Garrison/public-affairs/digital-meade/new-motorcycle-training-range-fort-meade>

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